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Socrates Tzartos et al.

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| 10/512,004      | May 25, 2005 | Chang Yu Wang | N/A          | 1649           | 2323             |

Title:

**PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT FRAGMENTS OF MUSCLE ACETYLCHOLINE RECEPTOR AND THEIR USE FOR EX VIVO IMMUNOADSORPTION OF ANTI-ACh RECEPTOR ANTIBODIES FROM MYASTHENIC PATIENTS**

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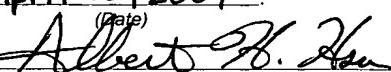
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| CLAIMS AS AMENDED  |                                     |                             |                                |            |                   |
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|  | CLAIMS REMAINING<br>AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST #<br>PREV. PAID FOR | NUMBER EXTRA<br>CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE       | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 28 -                                | 31 =                        | 0                              | x \$52.00  | \$0.00            |
| INDEP. CLAIMS  | 2 -                                 | 3 =                         | 0                              | x \$220.00 | \$0.00            |
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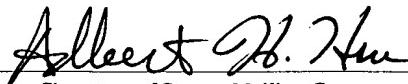
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